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PATENT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

Lu et al.

Serial No: 09/076,517

Filed: May 12, 1998

) Title: Audience Measurement
) System for Digital Television
)
) Group Art Unit: 2711
)
) Examiner:
)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for the above application.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8)

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, on **February 15, 2000**, in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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1. **Small Entity Status**

- ☐ Verified statement(s) claiming small entity status is(are) attached.
- ☐ Small entity status has been established and is still effective.
- ☒ Has not been established.

2. **Extension of Time**

- ☐ This is a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

| EXTENSION (Months) | FEE FOR LARGE ENTITY | | FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|----------|
| | | | | |
| One Month | | \$110.00 | | \$55.00 |
| Two Months | | \$380.00 | | \$190.00 |
| Three Months | | \$870.00 | | \$435.00 |
| Four Months | | \$1,360.00 | | \$680.00 |
| Fifth Month | | \$1,850.00 | | \$925.00 |

If an additional Extension of Time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension Fee: \$0.00

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An extension for _____ month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Deduction: \$

Extension Fee Due With This Request \$0.00

3. Fee for Claims

The fee for additional claims [(37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d))] has been calculated as shown below:

| | | | | | SMALL ENTITY | | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|----|---------------|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest No. Previously Paid For | | Present Extra | Rate | Additional Fee | Rate | Additional Fee |
| TOTAL | 158 | MINUS | 49 | 109 | X 9= | \$ | X18= | \$1962 |
| INDEP. | 16 | MINUS | 6 | = 10 | X39= | \$ | X78= | \$780 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim | | | | | +130= | \$ | +260= | \$ |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE | | | | | | \$ | OR | \$2742 |

4. Method of Payment of Fees

- ☒ Attached is a check in the amount of: \$2742.00
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 13-2855 in the amount of: \$ _____
A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

5. Deposit Account and Refund Authorization

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the amount enclosed or any additional fees which may be required during the pendency of this application under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 13-2855. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

Please refund any overpayment to Marshall, O'Toole, Gerstein, Murray & Borun at the address below.

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL, O'TOOLE, GERSTEIN,
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For: AUDIENCE MEASUREMENT
SYSTEM FOR DIGITAL
TELEVISION ✓

Group Art Unit: 2711

Examiner:

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) Attorney for Applicant

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REQUEST
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.607 FOR DECLARATION
OF INTERFERENCE WITH ISSUED U.S. PATENT NO. 5,974,299**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add claims 70-158 as follows:

02/23/2000 SBUONG 00000004 09076517

01 FC:102
02 FC:103

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1962.00 OP